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BREWTON PARKER

ARMSTRONG STATE

68	Final	1	2	T	97
	BREWTON PARKER (4-6)	28	40	68	
	ARMSTRONG STATE (1-4)	47	50	97	



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GAME LEADERS

SAVANNAH, Ga. - The Armstrong State University men's basketball team hit 9-of-12 three-pointers in the second half en route to its first win of the season, downing Brewton-Parker 97-68 in the Pirates' 2015-16 home opener at Alumni Arena on Saturday afternoon.

The Pirates (1-4) picked up their fifth win in as many tries against the Barons, who fell to 4-6 on the season. Armstrong State will be next in action on Saturday, December 12th, visiting Lynn University for a 4:00 p.m. contest in Boca Raton, Fla.

Armstrong State used an 18-5 run midway through the first half to build a 30-17 lead with six minutes remaining until halftime. The Pirates closed out the half on a three-pointer by senior **Herbert Graham** to take a 47-28 lead into the break.

Brewton-Parker opened up the second half scoring on its first five possessions, opening up the half on a 10-2 run to cut the lead to 11 points. The Barons would get within single digits, 54-45, on a three-pointer by Michael Volley with 14:49 left, but Armstrong State would respond immediately with an 11-0 run over the next two minutes to build the lead back to 20 points, 65-45, and the Pirates would finish the second half hitting 9-of-12 three-pointers en route to the win.

The Pirates placed five players in double figures, led by senior **Nicholas Scott**, who hit 6-of-8 three-pointers en route to a game-high 21 points. Senior **Shaquiell Mitchell** hit for 19 points on 7-of-14 shooting from the floor and 4-of-4 from the free throw line, while seniors **Ethan Mackey** and Herbert Graham each finished with 13 points. Senior Marchus Hopper added 11 points off the bench.

Brewton-Parker placed four players in double figures, led by Thierry Lynn's 12 points and Deion Bernard's 11 points. Michael Volley and Rodarius Mitchell each chipped in 10 points.

The Pirates finished the contest shooting 55 percent from the floor (37-of-67), including 12-of-23 from three-point range (52.2 percent). Brewton-Parker shot 43.9 percent from the floor (25-of-57) including 42.1 percent from three-point range (42.1 percent). The 12 three-pointers were a season high for the Pirates and marked a fourth straight game in which Armstrong State hit 10 or more threes in a game.

Armstrong State forced 17 turnovers by the Barons, leading to a 27-7 edge in points off of turnovers on the day.



BREWTON PARKER
Pts: Thierry Lynn - 12
Reb: Thierry Lynn - 9
Ast: Rodarius Mitchell - 4
ARMSTRONG STATE
Pts: Nicholas Scott - 21
Reb: Herbert Graham - 9
Ast: Kyle Callanan - 8

TEAM STATS		
BREWTON PARKER	ARMSTRONG STATE	
(25-57)	Field Goals	(37-67)
43.9%	Field Goal %	55.2%
32	Rebounds	35
9	Assists	20
18	Turnovers	7
7	Pts off Turnovers	29
6	2nd Chance Pts	9
20	Pts in the Paint	30
0	Fastbreak Pts	0
31	Bench Pts	52

FULL STATS

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